

REMARKS/ARGUMENTS

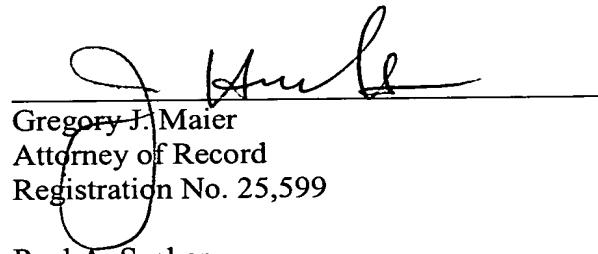
After receiving the Notice of Allowance dated May 5, 2005, the application was carefully studied.

The cancellation of dependent Claim 5 was necessary in order to correct an improper multiple dependency of the Claim (ie. Multiple dependent Claim 5 improperly depended upon multiple dependent Claim 3). New Claims 9-12 were added to replace the improper multiple dependency. The changes to Claims 1, 3, 4 and 8 were made to delete reference numerals as being extraneous to the claim recitations. Accordingly, the changes are not believed to raise any issue of new matter.

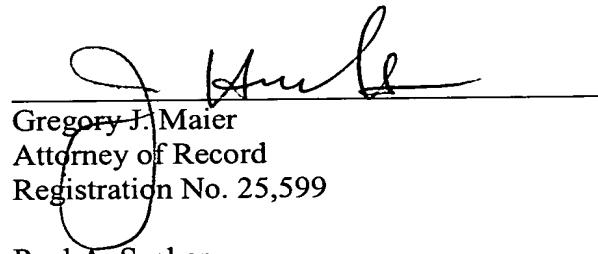
Therefore, an early and favorable action is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

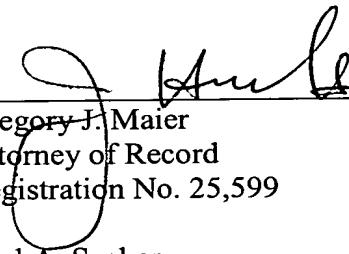
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